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Offered by:

SEN. BOUCHER, 26th Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. **1015** File No. 605 Cal. No. 375

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PALLIATIVE USE OF MARIJUANA."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2011) The Commissioner of
- 4 Public Health shall establish and operate a mandatory educational
- 5 program for qualifying patients, as defined in section 1 of this act, that
- 6 provides information about the health risks of marijuana use,
- 7 including, but not limited to, negative health consequences,
- 8 impairment and addiction issues, and information about how
- 9 marijuana use may lead to the abuse of other drugs."